



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below:

Dated: 8/6/04

Signature: 

(Ginn Blundell)

AS/ 1723  
EAW  
Docket No.: CVRS-P02-001  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Laugharn et al.

Application No.: 09/812723

Group Art Unit: 1723

Filed: March 20, 2001

Examiner: T. G. Soohoo

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ACOUSTICALLY CONTROLLING LIQUID  
SOLUTIONS IN MICROFLUIDIC DEVICES

**CHANGE OF ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please note that the Attorney Docket Number has been changed from BMA-008 to **CVRS-P02-001**. Please reference **CVRS-P02-001** on all future correspondence.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. CVRS-P02-001 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: August 6, 2004

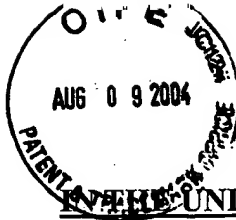
Respectfully submitted,

By 

Agnes S. Lee

Registration No.: 46,862  
ROPES & GRAY LLP  
One International Place  
Boston, Massachusetts 02110-2624

(617) 951-7000  
(617) 951-7050 (Fax)  
Attorneys/Agents For Applicant



**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY AND  
APPOINTMENT OF NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY OR AUTHORIZATION OF  
AGENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

**Covaris, Inc.** hereby revokes, as appropriate, all previous powers of attorney and authorizations of agent previously granted for the following U.S. patent applications:

<b>Application Number</b>	<b>Filing Date</b>
09/812723	03/20/01
09/830473	04/27/01
10/777014	02/11/04
60/528069	12/08/03
60/105933	10/28/98
60/110460	12/01/98
60/119500	02/10/99
60/143440	07/13/99
60/148279	08/11/99
60/191297	03/21/00
60/198923	04/21/00
60/181516	02/10/00

The following attorneys or agents of the Patent Group at Ropes & Gray LLP, and all other attorneys or agents affiliated with Customer No.:

**\*28120\***

are hereby appointed to prosecute applications and transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office for the above applications.

Please change the correspondence address for to the above-identified application  
to:

**Patent Group**  
Ropes & Gray LLP  
One International Place  
Boston, MA 02110

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is empowered to sign this  
Revocation and New Power of Attorney on behalf of the Assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

Officer James A. Laugharn, Jr.  
Date August 4, 2004

James A. Laugharn, Jr.  
Print or Type Name of Person Signing

President  
Title